

# 10TH ANNUAL FARM DAY

## DURHAM AND LEE SATURDAY, AUGUST 19, 2023

A CELEBRATION OF THE WORKING LANDSCAPE OF FARMS AND GARDENS – RAIN OR SHINE!

### EMERY FARM – NH FARM OF DISTINCTION

147 Piscataqua Road (Route 4), Durham 10am – 6pm

- Locally grown vegetables and locally produced food
- Cold drinks, sandwiches, and ice cream
- Livestock in petting barn
- Touch a tractor for kids
- Visit gardens and greenhouse
- Honey sampling, beekeeping information, and wildflower identification
- Restroom on site

### LAROCHE FARM

41 Bennett Road, Durham 10am – 4pm

- Homegrown veggie contest entries accepted, contest categories: funniest looking tomato, longest bean, heaviest zucchini, winners announced at 3pm
- Scything demonstration
- Information on row covers and protecting your garden from pests
- Fruit tree pruning information
- Noon – Community Bring-Your-Own-Picnic with steamed local sweet corn provided by the Durham Agricultural Commission
- Honey sampling and beekeeping information
- Backyard composting information
- Sample locally produced maple syrup
- Antique tractor display
- Haying and plowing demonstrations
- Meet farm animals, including calves, goats, ducks, and chickens
- Hayrides
- Tour Maple Sugar Shack
- Restroom on site

### UNH FAIRCHILD DAIRY TEACHING AND RESEARCH CENTER

36 O’Kane Road, Durham, 10am – 4pm

- Modeled after a typical New England Dairy operation to ensure that new research and management expertise is directly applicable to many state and regional stakeholders, the Fairchild Research Dairy houses approximately 160 cows and supports the agricultural animal research at the NH Agricultural Experiment Station. Come visit the dairy and learn more about how a sustainable New Hampshire dairy operates.

### UNH SAWMILL

248 Mast Road, Durham, 1pm – 3pm, Tour at 1pm

- The Sawmill serves as a facility for research, education, and sustainable lumber production, educating the next generation of foresters and land managers in forestry practices that will ensure economic resiliency and environmental sustainability.
- Tour attendees will learn about the facility’s purpose, history, and uses in forestry education at UNH.

### FOX POINT OYSTERS

Scammell Bridge, Route 4, parking lot, 10am – 1pm

On shore oyster discussion, with Laura, owner of Fox Point Oysters at 10 am, with equipment and oyster examples. More info and booking at [www.foxpointoysters.com](http://www.foxpointoysters.com).

### TECCE FARM

240 Mast Road, Durham 10am – 6pm

- Locally grown fruit, vegetables, and flowers
- Cold drinks

### UNH WOODMAN HORTICULTURAL RESEARCH FARM

70 Spinney Lane, Durham 10am – Noon, Tour at 10am

- The Woodman Farm is where UNH scientists develop and test new fruit, vegetable, and ornamental crop varieties; assess alternative crop management techniques; study the impacts and best strategies for protecting against pests and diseases; and work on organic production.
- Take the tour at 10am to learn about kiwiberry breeding, seedless table grape variety and management trials, hydrangea variety trials, integrated pest management, and other research projects.

### WAGON HILL FARM COMMUNITY GARDEN

156 Piscataqua Road (Route 4), Durham 10am – 12pm, Tours at 10am and 11am

- This community garden has over 100 in-ground and raised beds that are tended by our garden community. It also features a three-sister indigenous garden, food pantry garden, perennial gardens, and an apiary.
- Family friendly garden bingo from 10am – 12pm

### LINDEN WOODS FARM – NH FARM OF DISTINCTION

135 Packers Falls Road, Durham 12pm – 2pm

- Home to international equestrian trainer and competitor Leslie Ann McGowan, the farm offers horse boarding and training for dressage and eventing
- Tour the stable and paddocks and meet the horses and sheep

### WHALE ROCK FARM

3 Bennett Road, Durham – Guided Tour 2pm – 3pm, Tour limited to 15 participants, Pre-registration required, email [ellenkare51@gmail.com](mailto:ellenkare51@gmail.com)

- Thinking about adding some fruit to your home landscape? Whale Rock Farm is a young developing fruit farm with a variety of fruiting plants, some familiar and some novel. This one-hour tour will introduce you to the planning and process of choosing and growing fruit for your home garden. Pre-registration required

### COPPAL HOUSE FARM – NH FARM OF DISTINCTION

118 North River Road, Lee 10am – 5pm

- Farm stand with our own farm raised meats, eggs, sunflower oil, as well as local farm products.
- Horses and sheep available to view
- Picnic area
- Restrooms on site

### HICKORY NUT FARM

22 York Lane, Lee, 10am – 4pm

- Tour this goat milk dairy specializing in cave aged firm cheeses, yogoatgurt, goat milk fudge and waddle syrup, and goat milk soaps

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